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LETTER

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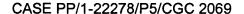
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<u>Terminal Disclaimer over U.S. Pat. No. 6,784,235 (37 CFR 1.321(c))</u>

Sir:

I, Tyler A. Stevenson, represent that I am an Agent of record for this invention.

Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, represents that it is the assignee of the entire interest in present app. No. **10/045,391** by virtue of an assignment recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 7, 2002, reel/frame 012881/ 0490.

Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corporation hereby disclaims, except as provided below, the terminal part of the statutory term of any patent granted on application No. 10/045,391 which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term defined in 35 U.S.C. 154 to 156 and 173 of U.S. Patent No. 6,784,235, the patent forming the basis of the double patenting rejection. The owner hereby agrees that any patent so granted on application No. 10/045,391 shall be enforceable only for and during such period that it and the prior patent are commonly owned, this agreement to run with

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